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Claim 9: (previously presented) A method for dissolution of fibrin clots in the pulmonary vasculature of an animal comprising conjugating a non-internalizable antibody to ICAM-1 to an anti-thrombotic agent and systemically administering the non-internalizable antibody to ICAM-1 conjugated to an anti-thrombotic agent to an animal so that the non-internalizable antibody to ICAM-1 conjugated to an anti-thrombotic agent binds to the luminal surface of the pulmonary endothelium of the animal and therapeutic action of the anti-thrombotic agent is localized in the blood compartment of the pulmonary vasculature.